



TRINITY SCHOOL

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Assumption of Risk, Waiver, and Release from Liability **2019 – 2020 Cross Country**

The following must be read, understood and signed by the participant's parent(s) or guardian(s) and returned to Mr. Hosford before a student may participate in any of the Trinity Sports Programs, Cross Country.

1. **ASSUMPTION OF THE RISK.** The undersigned assumes all risks which are foreseeable and involved with or may arise out of his or her voluntary participation in Cross Country including, but not limited to, the risk involved with the activity itself, *(slip, trip, fall,) the negligent and or willful and wanton acts of others, the criminal and or intentional acts of others, the omission of an act of another, a defect or condition of the premises or the unavailability of emergency care. The undersigned does not assume the risks of injuries caused by the gross negligence, or willful or wanton misconduct of any officials, officers, employees, or agents of Trinity School, Inc.
2. **RELEASE.** The undersigned releases Trinity School, Inc. and all of its officers, trustees, employees and agents not to initiate litigation on account of or in connection with any claims, causes of action, injuries, illnesses, damages, and/or costs of expenses arising out of the activities involved in my voluntary participation in Cross Country including, but not limited to, Cross Country activities including those claims, causes of action, injuries, illnesses, damages, and/or cost of expenses based on death, bodily injury, or property damage whether or not caused by the negligence or other fault of the parties being released.
3. **WAIVER.** The undersigned waives the protection afforded by any statute or law in any jurisdiction whose purpose, substance, cause and/or effect is to provide that a general release shall not extend to claims, material or otherwise, which the person giving the release does not know or suspect to exist at the time of executing this release. This means, in part, that the undersigned is releasing unknown future claims.
4. **INDEMNITY AND DEFEND.** The undersigned agrees to indemnify and defend Trinity School, Inc. and all of its parent companies/entities, subsidiary companies/entities, affiliate companies/entities, directors, trustees, officers, employees, servants, volunteers, and agents (hereinafter jointly referred to as "indemnitee") against, and hold them harmless from, any and all claims, causes of action, damages to or destruction of any property of the indemnitee or any others, injury or death that may result to the undersigned or anyone else.
5. **REPRESENTATIVES.** The undersigned enters into this agreement for him/herself, his/her heirs, assigns and legal representatives.
6. **INSURANCE.** The undersigned understands that Trinity School, Inc. does not carry insurance to cover any possible losses the undersigned may incur as a result of his or her voluntary participation in Cross Country. The undersigned, is encouraged to have a medical physical exam and purchase health insurance prior to any and all participation.

7. **MEDICAL CARE:** I understand and agree that Trinity School, Inc may not be able to provide medical personnel at all times. I hereby give my consent to have a fellow participant, emergency medical personnel, and/or a doctor of medicine or dentistry or associated personnel to provide me with medical assistance and/or treatment and agree to be financially responsible for the cost of such assistance and/or treatment. I also agree to save and hold harmless and indemnify Trinity School, Inc. from all liability, loss, cost, claim, lawsuit, or damage, whatsoever, including injury, death, or property damage, which may be imposed upon Trinity School, Inc. because of any defect in or lack of such capacity to so act or caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the released parties.
8. The protections provided by this Assumption of Risk, Waiver, and Release from liability only enhance those protections already provided by the laws of Maryland.
9. **SEVERABILITY:** If any provision of this Contract is prohibited, invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, that provision will, as to that jurisdiction, be ineffective to the extent of the prohibition, invalidity or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions of this Agreement or affecting the validity or enforceability of that provision in any other jurisdiction, unless it materially alters the nature or material terms of this Contract.
10. **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.** THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ AND UNDERSTANDS THIS AGREEMENT AND REALIZES IT RELATES TO SURRENDERING AND RELEASING VALUABLE LEGAL RIGHTS AND DOES SO FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY. MOREOVER, THE UNDERSIGNED UNDERSTANDS THAT HIS OR HER PARTICIPATION IN CROSS COUNTRY IS VOLUNTARY.

CHILD'S NAME (printed): _____ GRADE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME (printed): _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN CELL PHONE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN HOME PHONE: _____